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These Rugs are 3x6 feet, and are very good \$ \(\sigma \).00 values at \$7.50. Selling them as we are for \$5, the value is simply unapproachable, as you'll see by looking at the Rugs.

They're in two-tone effects of red, green and blue; also, with variegated centres and solid color borders-the latter effects being decidedly striking. They're certainly the choicest value at \$5 to be found in Richmond.

Curtains and Portieres But Very Good

We contracted some time ago for a lot of especially good values in Curtains to be sold at low prices. Here are a few of the latest arrivals. Look at them to-day!

Muslin Curtains, 3 yards long. Cable Net Curtains, 3½ yards cluster tucked and hemmed edge. long, very good patterns; regular \$8 value, for \$2.

Nottingham Curtains, 3½ yaris long; especially pretty patterns, and olive, fringed top and bottom; special value, 83.

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Identical in binding, letter press and quality of paper with the \$1.50 edition-something rarely found at a re-

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Louis Joseph Vance.

RICHMOND-BORN CHINAMAN IS DENIED RE-ADMISSION

Effort Being Made Here to Prove ! Birth of Charles William Sing.

CITY'S FIRST CHINESE BABY

Older Members of Colony Remember Celestial Celebration at Advent of Boy.

Efforts on the part of the parents of Charles William Sing, a Chinese boy, born thirteen years ago at 2 South Seventh Street, to secure the readmis-sion of the child into this country after

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TAFT MAY SPEAK HERE

At a Meeting of the Taft Democratic Committee Held Yesterday an Invitation Was Extended to the Republican Candidate-Rumor That G. O. P. Leaders Here Do Not Look With Favor on New Organization.

to Be Elected by Joint

Here Do Not Look With Favor on New Organization.

"The so-called Taft Democratic Club is not a club. It is a big committee of influential business men who are Democrated the properties of influential business men who are Democrated the properties of the support Mr. Bryan.

"We expect to remain Democrates and will vote the Democrate teleket except in the next presidential election.

"There is not a single Republican on our last indeed not a man has signed who ever voted any teleket except the Democratic ticket. We have no Republican hacking and we desire zone. We expect Judge Taft to speak here before the election.— Is latement made yeater day to Times-lispatch register. There is no longer any resonable that three will be proposed to the transport of the Taft Democratic Committee.]

There is no longer any resonable doubt that a strong anti-Bryan movement is under way among business and professional men of the down-town section of the city, and though leaders in the word of the city, and though leaders in the will use the proposed to the city, and though leaders in the movement declare that they are a city eye ready to publish the list of those who have joined, some of them say that they will make a fine showing at the election. It is known that an importiant conference was held in the office of a prominent Main Street business man yesterday to provide ways and means for keeping down Mr. Bryan's plurality in Richmond, and that it was attended by twenty business and professional men who have always and means for keeping down Mr. Bryan's plurality in Richmond, and that it was attended by twenty business and professional men who have always and means for keeping down Mr. Bryan's alman secretacy to provide ways and means for keeping down Mr. Bryan's and means for keeping down Mr. Bryan's

of Last Year.

Superintendent of Public Charities Indications Are That Matriculation Will Outnumber That

Still closely following the annexation movement, the Chamber of Commerce yesteriay requested the Business Men's Association of Manchester and Chesterield to confer with that of the Chamber of Chesterield to confer with that of the Chamber of Chesterield to confer with that of the Chamber of Chesterield to confer with that of the Chamber of Chesterield to confer with the Manchester Council to appoint a similar committee to meet the special body from the City Council here. After the four bodies have assumed working the Chesterield will be considered speedily and interest of the four bodies have assumed working the four bodies have assumed working the Chesterield will be considered speedily and interest of the four bodies have assumed working formed indicates that the question will be considered speedily and interest of the Chamber department on annexation has now in preparation a paper setting forth a number of substantial reasons why annumber of substan organization was also requireded on about the special will are considered specially the special pool from the Uty Council here. After hope, a joint meeting will be held.

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Chamber of Commerce Requests Manchester Bodies to Appoint Committees for Conference.

Displaying a quantity of nerve, but less quickness—for he might have got ton more—some unknown person early last night broke the plate glass window in the front of A. B. Clarke & Sons' hardware store near the corner of Twelfth and Main Streets, and helped himself to four safety razors, to which were attached as a bait a like number of crisp new dollar bills.

It was probably the dollar bills which attracted the attention of the bylider, for few men care for so many razors, even if they are built on lines that insure absolute safety, that is safety to the user, not to the tonsorial instruments themselves. The robbery was discovered by Policeman Howell, who had examined the door and fastenings at a quarter to S. When he returned on his rounds, a large, round had been personed and a quantity of scattered glass met his wondering gaze.

"Somehody's been here and committed this unwarranted act," quoth he, and investigated.

Four razors and their attached bills—Four razors and their attached bills—Four

Our \$3.00 Hats

are marvels of style and durability--the Knox Special-the Imperial-the Gans-Rady Special. All have some individuality that appeals to the smart dresser. Three new styles came in yesterday. The very latest in small shaped Derbys and Soft Hats.

Gans-Rady Company

LAMB AND HUNTER TO SPEAK TO DEMOCRATS TO-NIGHT

Rally at Sanger

Leaders of Western Wards Map

Out Plans-Club to Open Per-

manent Headquarters.

Bryan Club to Hold Another STOLE FOUR RAZORS AN IMPORTANT CONFERENCE

lar Bills Attached to the Shaving Instruments.

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Woman's College Opens To-Day.

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The fifty-fifth session of the Woman's College of Richmond will open this morning at 10 o'clock, with prospects for a successful year and a large enrolment of students brighter than ever before in the history of the institution. Already a number of girls have come in and taken their quarters in the dormitory, and many more are expected this morning. Those who have so far arrived represent many States, some having come from as far South as Texas.

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Last year the college numbered 276, and many applications were refused on account of a limited dornitory capacity. This year a new dornitory has been obtained, and the college will be able to take care of a much large number.

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